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April 5, 1984

Refer to: LPC #16712021 - Sangamon County
Springfield/Associates Engraving
ILD #005172663
COMPLIANCE INQUIRY LETTER

Mr. Glenn D. Savage, Jr.
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Land Field Operations Section
EPA Division of Land Pollution Control
4500 South Sixth Street
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
STATE OF ILLINOIS

Dear Mr. Savage:

I have recently reviewed a report by your office dated March 9th on Associates Engraving Company here in Springfield. I have gone over this report together with the response by Mr. Hess and, frankly, I think your requirements border on harassment. Illinois is devoting a lot of money and time trying to encourage and attract small business and then we have an agency like yours which tends to make it impossible for a successful one to stay here.

I know the management of Associates Engraving well and I know they would not deliberately misuse any hazardous materials. I do know they employ a lot of people and are the single biggest mailer in the city of Springfield. I am sure Alabama or any of the other southern states would be delighted to have them relocate there.

Surely the least you can do is try to be helpful instead of dictatorial.

Sincerely,


Dwight P. Friedrich
State Representative

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cc: Honorable James R. Thompson
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